

OFFICIAL BUSINESS SUMMARY

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I-ISIAH-ANIS July 18:

1. Communique from the Central Committee of the Republic of Afghanistan:  
The first meeting of the Central Committee of the Republic of Afghanistan was held, and Mr. Moh'd Daoud—the founder of Republic in Afghanistan—has been selected by this Committee as President of the State and Prime Minister.

Mr. Moh'd Daoud holds personally the tasks of the Ministry for National Defence and Ministry for Foreign Affairs.

Other members of the government will be announced later.

Deputy Ministers of the Ministries are carrying the duty (of their Ministries) till the appointment of the government members. (End of the communiqué.)  
(A photo of President-Premier Daoud has been also published.)

2. The University, the Afghans abroad and Pushtunistanis are sending congratulations: Kabul—The University Senate welcome, with aspiring continuation and success for the Regime, the Republican Regime in dear Homeland.

Professor Jawed—the Rector of the University—and several (other) members of the Senate delivered speeches in favour of the new regime, and the rest of the members congratulated to each other this great success.

Meanwhile, the University Senate has expressed, before the President-Premier, its appreciation and support as follows:

The University, which is the high organ and representative of the university professors while it has held its usual session, congratulates sincerely the historic and establishment of the new regime in dear Afghanistan ~~and~~ the leadership of the Republic of Afghanistan—Mr. Moh'd Daoud—and his patriot colleagues.

(The University Senate, continued:)

The University Senate, with aspiration of continuation of the independence of Afghanistan and national sovereignty and prosperity of the noble and Muslim ~~of the~~ Afghan Nation, declares its permanent support and protection of this progressive regime. Long Live Afghanistan! Always be the Republican Regime in the Country!

A number of the Afghans who are abiding in Europe and America have sent congratulatory telegrams to Mr. Moh'd Daoud—President—Premier of the Republic of Afghanistan, expressing their all sorts of support, generosity and sacrifice for the new regime.

Leaders of the Northern Free Pushtunistan, Middle Free Pushtunistan and Southern Free Pushtunistan have, on behalf of their tribes, sent their congratulatory messages, on the establishment of the new regime of Afghanistan, to Mr. Moh'd Daoud—President—Premier of the Republic of Afghanistan; and they have said (through these messages) that they are deeming themselves as shareholders of this period of happiness of the Nation of Afghanistan, and they shall never avoid any sort of generosity (sacrifice).

3. The people are warmly welcoming the Republican Regime...., A pictorial report by Islah-Anis correspondent of the conditions <sup>'which are quite normal'</sup> and people's happiness in the City.

4. The current of affairs and jobs are going on normally in the official and unofficial institutions; says BAKTER correspondent. A report.

5. The people are proud of the announcement of the Republic in Afghanistan.... A report on the people's hurras of welcome while the Announcement